The Hall-Frankite Research Enterprise Letter from a Member of the Enne Expedition — Mr. Hall's Determination and Frospects. As our readers are already aware, Mr. C. F. Hall, for many years a resident of this city, will leave to-day upon an expedition in search of the remains of Sir John Franklin, This enterprise is exciting considerable attention among the Arctic navigators of both continents, and particularly in England, where the scientific men hold that Mr. Hall can not visit King William's Land during the summer. The following will show the fortitude and determination with which our townsman has undertaken to solve the problem: When the doubts of the English navigators were made known to him by Henry Grinnell, of New York, Mr. Hall replied: "My mind is made up—God with me, will I yet visit King William's Land, search and research over it, especially its western coast, in the summer, On this Land and Boothia I will spend two or three years, to determine the unsettled question relative to the Franklin Expedition." Our Arctic whalers and many others whose views on the subject have been convenient from the fortical from the Presidents of the different whose views on the subject have been convenient from the Presidents of the different morial from the Presidents of the different WANTED. FOR RENT. THE DAILY PRESS. LATEST BY TELEGRAPH. "WANTE," "FOR BALE," "FOR BENT. THURSDAY. POR RENT-Furnished sirr rooms, suitable for families of single gentlamen at No. 32 The Constitutional Convention. "LOST," "FOUND," "BOARDING," &c .- Ad-WANTS-WANTS. BALTIMORE, May by The Convention assembled at four P. M., when the Committee on Permanent Organisation reported the following officers: President, Washington Hunt; Vice-Presidenta, one each from mineteen States, including Marshal P. Wilder, of Massachusetta, Fred. A. Tallmadge, of New York, Peter J. Clark, of New Jersey, Jas. R. Ingersoll, of Pennsylvania, Alex. H. H. Stewart, of Virginia, R. W. Thompson, of Indiana, and J. Scott Harrison, of Ohic, also eleven Secretaries. The announcement of the names was received with applause, and the nominations were confirmed by acclaration. Mr. Hunt returned thanks in a pertinent address. Chas. Lathrop, of Penn., moved to proceed to ballot far a candidate for President. Edward Shippen, of Penn., offered a substitute that each State nominate a candidate for President, and the Convention proceed to ballot, and drop each candidate having the smallest vote on each ballot, till a result is resched. Mr. Randolph, of N. J., moved that Hon. Lewis Condict, of N. J., be made an honorary Vice-President. Carried by acclamation. Mr. Harris, of Mo., said he desired an opportunity to confer with the delegations of the various States, and find out who was the best man to put forward. John S. Little, of Penn., advocated the passage of Mr. Shippens's resolution. Mr. Goggin, of Va., moved that Hon. J. J. Crittenden be invited to take a seat upon the platform. Carried with applause. N. G. Pendleton, of Ohio, was satisfied they could act more harmoniously if time was allowed the delegates to consult together. He moved that a committee of one from each State be appointed, to whom each delegation indicates its preference, so as to secure unity of action. Frederick W. Grayson, of Pennsylvania, thought when he came here, they had a more FOR RENT-A gentleman having a larger to one than his family requires is desirous of routing a west-family requires, is desirous of routing a west-family for the family requires in desirous as pleasant loration, tour squares from the Postoffler Address A. T. B., Press Office. FOR ERNT-ROOMS For a gentleman and larger than the family of [Continuation of Proceedings from first page.] mar If you want a house, advertise in the DAILY PRESS. *** If you want a servant, advertise in the DAILY PRESS. *** If you want a citration, advertise in the DAILY PRESS. WANTER-A SITUATION-By a girl, as nurse or by do chamberwork and plain sewing. Address A. M., Press Office. WANTED A CHILD TO WET NURSE By woman who has recently leak one. Good reference gives. Address M. A. W., Frees Office. DAILY PRESS. 25 In fact, every want supplied by advertising in the DAILY PRESS. 25 In fact, every want supplied by advertising in the DAILY PRESS. 25 Advertisements not exceeding five lines in length, inserted in the "Wanted" column twice for TWENTY-FIVE CENTS. FOR RENT WITH BOARD-A lerge and handsome front room, newly-supered, on the second floor, with grivings of gas such buth, for two young men or families, in a house white cuty a lew boarders are kept. Apply at 127 Hound Street, butween Loonworth and fixth. Also, for rent, a room in the basement, suitable fair a dacler's office. WANTED - A good Gordener, and to take eare of horses, German preferred. Also a boy to drive and take care of horses. Hood references re-unired. Apply at \$12 West Pearl-street. mylo-be WANTED—HINTS ON HOUSEHOLD ECON O'M'S—Truly valuable ones may be had grait of JOHNSON'S Gallery. North and Main, and a goo tikeness for this cents, and all kinds of cases at proportionally low prices. The best kind of work. Yer large plutters for St in a gift frame. TOR RENT-COUNTRY RESIDENCE Cottage of five rooms on East Walnut Hills, incinding thirteen acres of land, containing a large jarley of fright-trees and chrubberr. Will be rented for a term of four years at \$175 per annum. Inquire of MARTIN & BROTHERS, No. SG West Frontstreet. The lot is located on Catharine street and ad-joining the one now occupied by the First Intermediate School. The purchase was unanimously confirmed. Mr. Tooley presented the following me-morial from the Presidents of the different street railroad companies, which was referred to the Committee on Roads and Canals: WANTED-SITUATION—A carpenter, with out tools, of standy and instructions habits desires employment. Has a knowledge of hones painting. Address WASH, Press Office. mylo-b* three years, to determine the unsettled question relative to the Franklin Expedition." Our Arctic whalers and many others whose views on the subject have been consulted, have no doubt of the success of the present expedition, and seem to be perfectly satisfied that something may be accomplished on the proposed plan. The following letter from Thomas Hickey, one of Dr. Kane's most reliable and hardlest men, is excellent evidence in favor of the success of the enterprise of Mr. Hall, of which we have little doubt. Mr. Hickey writes as follows: "C. F. Hall, Eeq., Cincinnati, Ohio:—Previous to the return of Lady Franklin's late expedition, I learned that you were actively engaged in forming a Maritime Expedition to proceed by way of David Strait, to cooperate in the search for Sir John Franklin and his companions. I now hear that you are confident that some of his men still exist among the Esquimaux, and that you propose an expedition to determine this humane question. "I was a member of the memorable Americans." FOR RENT-A HOUSE-With five acres of Land, in a good state of cultivation—shrubber, fruit &c.—suitable for a genteel family, one and a quarter to one and a ball miles from the Walnutstreet Ferry, on the Covington side. Address Box 1,067, Cincinnati, Ohio. my5-aw closes at I. A. M. and S. P. M. BALTIMORE, WARRINGTON AND WHEELING.—Arrives at 3:150 A. M.; closes at S. P. M. BY. LOVIE AND LOUISVILLE.—Arrives at 11 A. M. SMI 10 P. M.; closes at 1 A. M. and 4 P. M. CHICAGO AND NORTH-WEST.—Arrives at 11 A. M. SMI 10 P. M.; closes at 1 A. M. and 4 P. M. WANTED BOY-Sixteen or eighteen years of ago, to work in a woolen factory; also girls for the same and girls for general housework in city and country, at No. 25 fact Fourth-street. Also girls for washing and troning. To the Hanorable the City Conneil of the city of To the Homoruble the City Council of the city of Cincinnati, Street Railroad, Company, the Passeninger Railroad Company, the Passeninger Railroad Company, the Passeninger Railroad Company, respecting the Council of t WANTED One of two respectable persons to bested in an English family, or two gantlements and development of the second of the se City News. IMPORTANT ARREST OF COUNTERPRITERS.— David H, and Edward Cox, residing at No. 160 Mound-street, were arrested yerterday, by Officer Reany, for passing counterfeit money. ANTED—TO RENT—Four rooms on a leve with the street, hirnlashed or unfurnished with half and celler; inven with small flower rand inquire immediately at No. 35 Observatory, road. [mylis-b*] BOARDING A few gentlemen with the wives, or six single gentlemen, can be accommodated with board in a small private family. Apply at 305 liace-street, two doors above Righth. [mylo-b*] oney. 09 A 1491111 WANTED-HOUSE-Any person having a cottage of three rooms to rent, or the same number of rooms on the first floor of a hones, with other tanants, can have the same occupied by a family with only one child. Bent paid in advance and unexceptionable references given. Address L. M. N., at Press Office, stating location and terms. HOARDING A sentionan and wife can be accommodated with board and a large second-story unfurtished free room. Apply at 32 Long-worth-street, east of face. HOARDING Large and ally rooms for families, with board, at No. 177 Sycamore-street, board and lodging for single gentlemen. Dayboarders can be accommodated. West side, between Fifth and Sixth. Burghary on Walnur-street.—The house of a man named Joseph Grumbachers, located on Walnut-street, near the Hamilton-road, was burglariously entered, night before last, and robbed of money and goods to the amount of nearly forty dollars.

METEOROLOGICAL OSSERVATIONS—By Henry Ware, Optician, May 9: 4 P. M ... LETTERS DETAINED FOR WANT OF POSTAGE

May 9: Frederick Millet, New York City. Wm. Gehner, St. Louis, Mo. Yaughen & Co., Dayton, Ohio. M. B. Carter, Dayton, Ohio. J. B. Clough, Gedfery, Hilmols, Henry Barnot, Paddy's Run, Ohio. ANTONIO & WILDER'S CIRCUS.-This excellent and extensive circus company will open this evening, on the City Lot, corner of Ninth and Plum-streets, and continue their per-formances to-morrow and Saturday nights. They have a fine troupe, and will be as largely patronized here as they have been every where else.

House, from 25 to 50 feet front, and from or 10 life feet.

7 Lots on Himman street, each 50 feet front by 170 feet deep.

12 Lots on Valley street, from 41 to 50 feet front by 110 feet deep.

3 Lots on Western avenue, from 50 to 100 feet front by about 130 feet deep.

6 Lots on Bruns-street, between Zigzag-avenue and Straight-street, from 100 to 150 feet front by 170 feet deep.

4 Lots on Marshal-avenue, between Riddle and Spancer-streets, each 100 feet front by 107 feet i meh deep. PROCREDINGS OF THE COUNTY COMMISSION-mas.—At their regular diurnal session, yes-terday moraing, the County Commissioners passed orders amounting in the aggregate to \$275-35, of which \$259-35 were paid to John Grable, for mest for Lick Run Lunatic Asylum, and \$16 to E. Hutchinson for 100 bushels of coal for toll-houses on Sharpsburg Road. No other business worthy of note was deep_ lots on Cliff-street, near Fairview-avenue, from 6s to 100 feet front by 120 feet deep.

Terms of Sale—One-tenth cash, balance is one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight and nine equal payments, with six per cent, interest annually, accured by mortgage on the property. Title perfect.

Every Lot offered will, be positively sold, without any reserve. B. Fields and Rotherts' Garden, will show the lots any affermoon, previous to the seale, from two tests of clock.

Also, Plats with directions of the Lots can be had at the Brighton House, any morning, from nine to twelve o'clock.

Pervons wishing to attend the sale will need at the Brighton House at nine o'clock A. M., as the sale will commence with the lots on Browne-street. Plats of the property can be hade?

MOOPER & STOKES, Auctioneers. toad. No other business worthy of note was

Acknowledgements from the Managers of the Home of the Friendless.—The Managers of the Home of the Friendless gratefully acknowledge the following donations for their building fund:

Proceeds of a children's fair, held over Day's Saloon, on Walnut-street, \$10 67; and the munificent gift of a Grover & Baker sewing machine, by the agent, G. D. V. Rollo, of this city.

OUPFER & STOKES, Auctioneers.

A UCTION SALE—By JACOB GRAFF & CO—
Furniture, * Pianos, &c., at Auction—Will be sold, at Auction, on FRIDAY MORNING. May 11, at nine o clock, at No. 13 East Fourth-street, a lot of excellent Furniture, Solas, Tables, Bedsteads, Bureaus, Carpets, Chairs, Wash-stands, Center-tables, Secretary, Book-case, Ward-robe, Bedstead, Crockey and Queensware, Kitchen Furniture, Cookingstove, Chocks, 3 Glass Show-cases, &c.

ALSO—A handsome set of Rosewood Parlor Furniture.

ALSO—A Grover & Baker Sewing Machine, nearly new. CINCINNATI TROTTING PARK-THE RACES Circinnari Taorting Park.—The Races
To-day.—The race to-day, over the Cincinnati
Trotting Park, promises to be quite interesting. The horses which have been matched
are Daniels' b. g., "Bolly Lewis," Dodge's s.
m., "Lady May;" Rockey's b. m., "Lady
Hamilton," and Bidwell's br. g., "Ned Forest." The horses are green, and evenly
matched, and the track is in an excellent condition. Persons who desire to attend the
race can leave the city by the Cincinnati,
Hamilton and Dayton Railway, at 215 and
return at 6:15 P. M.

Progres-Pictyrop Expressions as a pay new.
ALSO—The stock of a Daguerrean Gallery, 2 Cameras, Chemicals, &c., &c.
ALSO—An Extension Table. Cost, \$50.
ALSO—Four Plance.
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JACOB GRAFF, Auctioneer.

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AUCTION SALE—BY COOPER & STONES.—
Two New Brick Houses, with Lots, on Baymillor-street, between Hopkins and Laurel, at Auction, Will be sold at public anction on SATURDAY AFTERNGON, May 12, at 4 o'clock, on the premises, two new two-story Brick Houses, with lots, on the cast side of Baymiller-street, between Hopkins and Laurel. The lots are each le's feet front by 100 feet deep. The houses contain five rooms each, with water, gas, side-aller, good front and back yards; well papered throughout. These are very desirable small houses. Sale positive. Title good. Terms—One-third cash, balance in one or two years, with six per cent, interest.

COOPER & STOKES, Auctioneers, my10

A UCTION SALE—BY C. J. W. SMITH.—Two return at 6:15 P. M.

Pocket-Picking Extraordinary. — Day before yesterday a young man named A. G. Myers had his pocket picked of a wallet containing \$40, while standing on Front-street and gasing at our beautiful river. A genteellooking man came along and apparently accidentally ran against him. He stopped, placed his hand upon his shoulder, wished to be pardoned, bowed politely and disappeared. He, wholly unconscious, returned to his boarding-house, when he was told that his pantalions were torn, and upon examination he discovered that the pocket had been cut and his porte-monnaic extracted. He then recalled the circumstances under which he supposed it was taken from him, but the adroit pickpocket has not since been seen. A UCTION SALE—BY C. J. W. SMITH.—Two
good Brick Konses and Lots, Nos. 267 and
209, corner of Poplar and Dudley-streets.—Will be
sold at public anction on MONDAY AFTERNON,
May 14, 1860, at 3 o'clock, on the premises, two good
twis-story Brick Houses, of six rooms such, and furnished in the best style. The corner house is a good
greery stand, situated on the corner of Poplar and
Dudley-streets. The lot is 40 feet front on Poplar
and 52 feet on Dudley. Title perfect, Sale positive.
Terms made known at sale.

C. J. W. SMITH, Auctioneer,
my10 No. 321 Vine-street. AUCTION SALE—BY HICKMAN & SHULL,
Allesi Estate Auctioneers, Merchands Exchange,
Valuable Fourth-street Corner Property at Auction.
On WEDNESDAY MORNING, May 18, 1809, at 11
o'clock, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, that valuable corner, known as the hosth-west
corner of Fourth and John-streets, being 25 feet
front on Fourth-street, and running north on Johnstreet 100 feet. There is a large three-story brick on
the rear part of the lot, userly new, and has all the
modern improvements, and will rent for \$500 per
annum—leaving room chough on the lot on Fourthstreet to build either a fine residence; or would be
well saited for business purposes. There is now on
this part of the lot a large and comfortable frame
dwelling, under rent at \$500 per annum.
Terms of Sale—\$5,000 cash, balance in one and two
years.

Ax Invalid Refuses to Remain in the Hospital.—The Commercial Hospital of this city has for years been an object of ridicule, and although the principal inmates do not, as at the Believue Hospital, New York, spend the night in eating up patients, it is absolutely a disgrace to the community. Yesterday a man named Thomas Hare was sent to this Institution, from the Third Ward, suffering severely from the rheumatism. When placed in the proper ward, he looked surprised glanced around at the walls, beds, ard the inmates, and taking up his crutch and the would not remain. Any place to him was better than that, and so to any one, who has the slightest idea of what an establishment should be. No one knows better than the Directors of the Hospital that it is used, and if they can do nothing to improve it, they would do a sensible act in resigning in favor of some one who can.

EXTRAORDINARY AFFAIR—A SUPERANNUATED NEGRO SLAVE BROUGHT TO OHIO AND
ARANDONED.—A few days ago, some unknown
person made his appearance at Columbia, a
short distance above the city, in company
with a very feeble old negro, whom he
abandoned and soon after left the place. The
negro says he is over eighty years of age and
belonged to a man residing at May's Lick,
Kentucky, and that the person who brought
him to this State threatened to kill him, if
he spoke of the matter until after he had taken
his departure. The slave is penniless and
avers that he was brought there because unable longer to serve his master. How true
his story may be, we heve no means at present of learning, but he may be found at the
naw-mill of James Mack, in Spencer Township, and will doubtless be glad to find some
one who is as generous as his master seems to
have been ungrateful.

Wherely Report of the City Auditor.— MCORACH EIN, FASHIONABLE SHIET MANUFAC-TURER AND DEALER IN GENTS FOR-NISHING GOODS,

Werkly Report of the City Auditor.— The City Auditor, last night, reported to the City Council the following receipts and ex-penditures, for the week ending last Satur-day, together with the amount of money re-maining in the Treasury at that time:

23	Watch Fund	1,000 5,015	00
Ł	Fire Department Fund.	9,024	30 86
П.	Common School Fund	344	112
201	Police Court Fund	622	196
-	McMicken Fund.	609	67
>3	Total DISBURSEMENTS.	19,370	84
	General Fund.	\$1,868	22
	Police Court and City Prison Fund	4.114	70
MI.	Interest Fund	30	00
8	Light Fund	1,000	80
9	Fire Department Fout.	2.710	91
M.	McMicken Fund	2,994	#1 #5
8	Total	\$15,009	35
H	There are now remaining in the		
Ŋ,	General Fund	103,005	78
	Interest Fund	92,356	82
	Superior Court Fund	6,616	40
-	Fire Department Fund	22,086	70
	Work house Fundament of the sure of the su	0.6467	68
T	McMicken Pupe	155,304	100
2	Sinking Fand	56,8ez	40
ď.	Colored School Fundamental	1,905	40

with the spirit of liberally that should characterize a great city have conditions have proved, upon fair some of the second control "I was a member of the memorable American expedition in search of Sir John Franklin in 1853, '54 and '55, commanded by the lamented Dr. Kane. During the residence of our party in the Arctic regions we experienced many severe trials, but I must say, the major part of them emanated from our mode of living. When we lived as Esquimaux we immediately recovered and enjoyed our usual health.

"If Providence had so ordered it that we should not find our way back to civilization, but should cast our lot with Esquimaux, I have no doubt we would have lived, perhaps, quite as long, and in quite as good health, as in the United States or England. Had we lost our commander, I confidently believe not one of our expedition would have returned. Our countrymen might have come to us, but we could not have gone to them. White men can live where Esquimaux can—and frequently where and when they can not. This I know by experience.

"The heroic Captain McClintock made a speech at a late meeting of the Royal Geographical Society of London, which contains several statement that are ingenious in conception, but nevertheless are at variance with facts.

"Little did I think, on returning to the a comparison between the burdens imposed under railroads in other cities, will, perhaps, be of some interest.

1. The annual car license (350) exceeds the amount exacted in most other cities, but corresponds very nearly with the highest.

2. The "Omnibus Clause" has absorbed a large amount of money from your petitioners; while the requisitions of this clause have been freeced in no other city, excepting Philadelphia in which latter case it was columnary as the part of the railroad companies, and was not demanded by the Council.

3. The bowdering of the streets has moverbeen exacted of any other Citrest Fassenger Railroad Constructed of any other Citrest Fassenger Railroad Construction of the streets in repair the space between the contract of the contract

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"Little did I think, on returning to the United States with my companions and beloved commander, that I would ever again go to the North, but believing, on my soul, from a practical life in the Arctic regions, that you are right in entertaining the opinion that some of Sir John Franklin's men are yet to be found living with the Esquimaux, and that they should be rescued and restored to their country and friends, I hereby cheerfully offer my services, and volunteer as a member of the Expedition you propose to organize.

"For direct evidence of me, and my devotedness to this cause, I would refer you to the written works of him whose memory and name I almost worship—Dr. Kane."

The plan of Mr. Hall has been already published at length. He will sail from New London, Connecticut, on the 29th inst., for Northumberland Inlet, taking with him a number of Esquimaux guides, and disembarking there, will proceed across the country in a sledge manufactured by the Messra. Bruce, carrying with him the best wishes and prayers of two nations for his complete success and safe return.

Third-avenue Ballway, in New York, cost of cents; fare 5 cents, are 5 cents.

Brooklyn City Bailway, in New York, cost 35 cents; fare 5 cents.

These reports undoubtedly show the smallest average to which the cost of carrying passengers can be refuned. And the reads named carry a large per centage of passengers than any relievaly in this city can be expected to carry during the existence of the personal contracts—nearly twenty years.

The New York roads receive five cents per passenger, and pay no capitation tax; and they do no bowldering or repairing of streets except between the rails.

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COVINGTON NEWS.

POLICE COURT.—Mirandah Johns, well-known to our officials as a degraded vagrant, was yestesday committed to jail by Mayor Foley for the term of one year, on a charge of vagrancy.

Cornection.—In our report of the proceedings of the last meeting of the council, we stated that Mr. Kelley had been "appointed Mayor pro tem, vice Medaria, removed." We should have said "resigned."

Real Estate Sales.—Mr. W. W. Allnut, real estate agent, disposed of the following lots, located in this city, yesterday:

Six lots on Shelby-street, and running to Licking, to Samuel Walker, for the sum of \$2,300.

Corner lot, 26 feet on Fourth-street, and 74 feet on Greenup, sold to Andrew Heroof for \$44 per foot front on Fourth-street, and 74 feet on Greenup, sold to the same party for 50 to per foot front on Market-space, and 74 feet on Greenup, sold to the same party for 50 to per foot front on Market-space.

Lot adjoining the above, same size, sold to the same party for 50 to per foot front on Market-space, and 74 feet on Greenup, sold to the same party for 50 to per foot front on Market-space, and 74 feet on Greenup, sold to the same party for 50 to per foot front on Market-space, and 74 feet on Greenup should be above, same size, sold to the same party for 50 to per foot front on Market-space, and 74 feet on Greenup should be above, same size, sold to the same party for 50 to per foot front on Market-space, and 74 feet on Green

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Corner lot, 26 feet on Fourth-street, and 74 feet on Greenup, sold to Andrew Herod for \$44 per foot front on Fourth-street.

Three lots adjoining the last, and same size, fronting on Fourth-street, sold to the same party for from \$32 to \$33 50 per front foot.

Corner lot in the rear of the above, 21 feet on lower Market-space, and 74 feet on Greenup-street, sold to the same party for 50 per foot front on Market-space.

Lot adjoining the above, same size, sold to the same party at \$47 per front foot.

iong to wenty or thirty times the sum (\$100 per annum) received from licenses under the old omnibus system.

Your memoralists believe that the above offer presents more favorable terms to the public than have ever been made by steet railways in this country, but they hope that their liberality will serve to render their reads still more popular with the people, and induce your homarable lody to give your memorialist's application a favorable consideration. All of which is respectfully submitted.

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President Cincinnati Street E. R. Co. JAS. J. ROBRINS.

President Passenger Railroad Co. of Cincinnati Cincinnati, May, 1869.

Mr. Weasner presented a memorial from

NEWPORT NEWS.

DESTRUCTION OF A HOUSE OF ILL-PAME .-

Destruction of a House of Illi-fame.—
Some time since we noticed the fact that a house of ill-fame, on Orchard-street, kept by a woman named Wiltsee, was nearly destroyed by the people in the vicinity, and that the keeper herself was subsequently fined and committed to jail.

After her release, she returned to her old quarters, and persisted in insulting the neighborhood, by her outrages upon propriety and morality, until night before last, when the citizens determined to complete the work which had been begun, and entirely demolished the tenement.

Young Ladies' Lycrum of the Wesleyan Female College.—The Young Ladies' Lycrum of the Wesleyan Female College will hold a meeting this evening at the College Chapel on Vine-street, near Sixth. The exercises will consist, as usual, in reading essays and music, and will no doubt be more than ordinarily interesting. ordinarily interesting.

The Superiority of the Grover & Barer Sewing Machine.—I purchased, four years since, one of Grover & Baker's Sewing Machines, which has been in constant use in my establishment, doing every variety of sewing, and in the most perfect manner. It is with pleasure that I certify its merits over all other machines, considering its simplicity, clasticity of seam, economy of thread, its almost noiseless movements, and lastly, the great variety of work which it will accomplish, and with what case it is understood and kept in order, prompts me to give it my undivided approbation.—Mrs. N. H. Ballon, dressmaker, 35 Chapel-street, New Haven.

"Home, Sweet Home."—A copy of the world-renowned song, "Home, Sweet Home," in John Howard Payne's own hand-writing we notice in the window of Church, the well-known Fourth-street music dealer. The chirography is small and delicate like a woman's, and attracts much attention from the throng of passers-by.

On Paistings at Auction.—At 2½ o'clock this afternoon, the sale of Oil Paintings commences, by J. Graff & Co., at No. 10 East Fourth-street, and continues in the evening, at 7½ o'clock.

DAMAGED WARES AT AUCTION.—J. Graff & Co. sell this morning, at No. 92 Main-street, a large quantity of Glass, Iron-stone and Queensware, (damaged at the late fire,) in lots to suit the trade.

Auction Salms of Rhal Estate Yesten-DAY.—C. J. W. Smith, anctioneer, sold yes-terday morning, at auction, the following real estate: A three-story brick house and iot, No. 528 Ein-street, near Liberty, the lot buing 20 feet front by 90 feet deep—sold to Patrick McGrath, for \$8,250.

was allowed the delegation took and the second of the control of the second of the control of th

constituted authorities. He trusted they would take such action that neither the ex-tremists of the North or South would be pernitted to administer the Government.

Adjourned till 10 A. M., to-morrow.

Illinois Republican Convention.

DECATUR, ILL., May 9.—The Illinois Republican State Convention met here to-day.

John M. Palmer, of Macoupin County, was chosen temporary Chairman.

The list of counties was called, to allow the A Committee on Organization was ap-pointed, and the Convention adjourned until

pointed, and the Convention adjourned until two o'clock.

On re-assembling, the committee reported Joseph Gillespie, of Madison County, as President, with nine Vice Presidents and five Secretaries.

The President was conducted to the chair, and returned thanks in a neat speech.

Mr. Lincoln, and the State officers present, were invited to take seajs on the stand.

Messrs. Sweat, Yates and Judd were then put in nomination for Governor.

After several ballots, Richard Yates, of Morgan County, was declared the choice of the Convention.

Francis A. Hoffman, of Dupage County, was nominated for Lieut. Governor, by acclamation.

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Mr. Yates being called, addressed the Convention at some length, thanking them for the honor conferred, an honor which the greatest stateman of the land might be proud of. He was for freedom and union. Douglas, Dred Scott, and Squatter Sovereignty had gone to that bourne from whence no traveler returns. We have no trouble in our ranks from the Wabsah to the Mississippi; from Cairo to Chicago.

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The Republicans are wide awake and
already shouting victory. Mr. Yates declared himself for the nominee, but expressed
his preference for Mr. Lincoln.

Messrs. Judd and Sweat also responded to
calls, and expressed themselves satisfied with
the action of the Convention.

Committees to report delegates for the
Chicago Convention; and a platform, were
appointed. Adjourned till to-morrow.

Anniversary of the American Tract Society.

New York, May 9.—The amiversary of the American Tract Society was held to-day, Rev. Wm. C. Alexander presiding. The Treasurers report shows the receipts of last year to be upward of \$800,000. After reading the report Mr. Walcott, of Chicago, moved a resolution to the effect that the Society ought to publish anti-slavery tracts, but an adjournment was carried without taking a vote upon it. The following publication committee was elected for the ensaing year. Revs. David Wagee, Wm. R. Williams, Wm. Adams, Benj. C. Cutler, Nehemish Adams and Thos. Dervitt. The national position of the Society was sustained by an overwhelming vote, there being but seven dissenting votes against the Executive Committees report.

President Peasenger Ballroad Co. of Cincinnation Concinnation May, 1966.

Mr. Weasner presented a memorial from Wm. Glenn and Sons, together with a large number of others, property holders on Vinestreet, asking the extension of the present sewer on Vinestreet, from Pearl to Water. Referred to the Committee on Sewers, with instructions to report an ordinance in accordance with the prayer of the petitioners.

Likewise an ordinance to provide for making contracts for the construction of street railroads. Its provisions are in substance as follows:

Sec. 1. Makes it the duty of the City Auditor to contract for the construction or extending of street railroads, and to advertise, under the direction of the City Conneil, for proposals for the same.

Sec. 2. Provides that he shall be governed by the provisions of the Ferguson bill and the city ordinances on the subject.

Sec. 3. Directs the Auditor to publish an abstract of all the bids received, in two daily papers, designating the one deemed the best.

Sec. 4. Provides that no contract shall be signed, in behalf of the city, until one week after such publication; and should Conneil so direct, it becomes the duty of the Auditor to re-advertise. Referred to the Committee on Roads and Canals.

Likewise, an ordinance authorizing the City Auditor to appoint a Board of Equalization, consisting of six persons. Passed.

Mr. Hollister moved that the Council suggest the names of the six persons to constitute the Board. Laid on the table, after a long discussion of the Ferguson Bill.

Mr. Hollister from the Law Committee, of first are resolution rescinding one formerly passed by the Council, blocking the square bounded by Baymiller, Freeman, Clinton and Betts-streets. Lost.

The Council then went into the Committee of the Whole, for the emisideration of the ordinance providing for the making of city contracts in certain cases; Mr. Hollister in the chair.

Mr. Hollister moved that the committee of the Committee on Health to report upon the propriety of taxing billiard tables and Mass Meeting at New Orleans.

New Obleans, May 8.—At a mass meeting held to-night to denounce the secession movement in the Charleston Convention, it was resolved to regard as a nomines all who attempt to resolve a savaration of the States. to produce a separation of the States.

New York, May b.—Rynders and Mayn, Deputy Marshals, accused of bribery in the case of the bark Storm King, are indicted and held to ball for trial.

EXXIDA CONGRESS. PIRST SESSION.

WARRINGTON, May 9. SENATE Mr. Davis introduced a bill to change the jurisdiction of the Indian Bu-rean from the Interior to the War Depart-

rean from the Interior to the War Department.

Mr. Lane made a personal explanation to the effect that the statement in the papers that he was interested to the value of one cent in the Oregon war debt bill was a slander.

Mr. Slidell made a similar statement.

The Homestead bill was taken up, and Mr. Grimes moved to extend its provinions to all single persona over 11, ax well as heads of families, and advocated his amendment,

Mr. Green opposed the bill, as no Homestead bill at all, and Mr. Johnson, of Ark., defended the present bill, as one of concession and compromise, and therefore opposed Mr. Grimes's motion.

After considerable debate the amendment was rejected, 27 to 28.

Mr Fitch offered an amendment, extending the present bounty system to soldiers who have served less than fourteen days. Rejected.

Mr. Green moved to table the bill. Rejected.

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Mr. Wade moved to substitute the House bill. Negatived, 26 to 31.
Mr. Clark moved to strike out the eleventh section for the cossion of those lands remain-ing unsold, after thirty-five years, to the States in which they are situated. Rejected,

7 to 48.

Mr. Rice moved to amend the same section to read five, instead of thirty-five years. Not carried.

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Mr. Hammond moved to adjourn.

Mr. Clay motioned his amendment to thirty years, and it was adopted—27 to 26.

The discussion continued on various amendments, and several motions to adjourn were voted down.

Mr. Rice offered an amendment extending the operation of the bill to lands not subject to private entry. Adopted.

Mr. Lane moved to postpone the bill to the first Monday in June, and have the amendments printed, so Senators could understand it.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., May 9.—The Overland Mail from San Francisco, April 20, has ar-

rived, the California news being anticipated by the Pony Express.

The Indians are very troublesome on the frontiers of Texas, and five companies of rifles have been ordered against the Kiowas and Camanches.

From Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, May 9.—In the U. S. District Court, on the 8th inst., Kimberly ez. Weaver and others, perpetual injunction was granted against the defendants for producing The Octoroon and judgment for \$1,000 and costs. Miss Kimberly has brought suit against Mrs. Barrow, W. Clark Washington, and others, and proceedings for injunction will take place before Judge Curtis, of Boston. River News.

St. Louis, May 9—P. M.—River stationery. Falling at Dubuque, and rising slowly at Burlington. The Illinois and Missouri are falling. A very heavy rain fell here yesterday, since which the weather has been cool and comfortable.

The Japanese Embassy.

New Yoar, May 9.—The frigate Roanoks was signalled just before sunset, with the Japanese Embassy on board.

New Orleans, May 8.—The steamship Arizona has arrived from Brazos on the 4th, with \$12,000 in specie. News unimportant.

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New York, May 9-P. M.—Flour quiet and prices without material change, with only trifling export demand, but we notice fair speculative inquiry at lastic quotasions for states superfine and extra lastic quotasions for states superfine and extra lastic properties of the state of the superfine state, where the state of the superfine state, and the state of the state of the superfine state, and the state of the superfine state, and the state of the superfine state, and superfine state, superfine state

New York Cuttle Market.

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Losge-On Monday, a Breastpin, with amber colored set. A liberal reward will be paid be returning it to No. 221 Central avenue. myv-be FOUND.

FOR SALE—The Good Will, Stock and Fix-inger of a small Store, now doing a fair cash, business. Will be sold cheap for cash. Address, through the Postolice, B. B. H.

FOR SALE-OBEAP-A Lot, 20x16, on set side of Hopkins-street, between Baymiller a Freeman. Terms-One-half cash, balance in fa-years. Apply to No. 446 Fifth-street. mys-b

FOR SALE-A good Spring Wagen and Her-ness and Fixtures. Inquire at No. 75 Park-street or No. 27 Walaut-street. mys-b*

POR SALE-A small Engine, Roller-Fau, Cu-pola, Pipes, &c., air in complete running order, at a great bargato. Can be seen in operation at the Novelty from Youndry, 33% Fourth-street, aggretal

FOUND-TWO COWS One white and black and the other white and red. The owner can have hem by calling at the Fourth Wead Feed actes, on water-street, between this and Flunn, and paying

WANTED-HOME TRUTHS FOR HOME PEACLE-These, more valuable than gold, may be had gratte at JOHNSON'S Gallery. Ninth and Main, and a good likeness for ten conta, and every variety of pills and lancy cases, lookets, breastpline, de., at lower prices than clawyine. My 10

WANTED-A GOOD NURSE GIRL-Appl at 80 Barr-street. mys-b*

WANTED-BAKER-A foreman on bread an calces. The highest wages will be paid. Ap ply at S. E. cor. Court and John. my9-b*

WANTED Two or three girls, to cut and sor rage, at good wages. Apply at No. 299 Main-street. mys-b* WANTED At the Spencer House, one first class Chambernaid for the ladies' floor, Als a Washersoman, Apply immediately, mys-br

WANTED—A GIRL—Who can cook, wash and from Good references required. Apply at 21 Betts-street, between Western-row and John. [miy9-b*]

WANTED-A YOUNG GERMAN-To drive a horse and wagon, take care of a cow, and make himself otherwise useful. Apply to mys-b* F. SHEEN, 20 East Third-street.

WANTED-A GOOD GIRL-To go seven miles in this country to do general housework. Good recommendations required. Inquire at No. 398 West Third-street, five doors east of Park.

WANTED-5.000 ladies and gentlemen to call and get a pair of Worden's Silver-plated Shocies, only a dime. Also agents to introduce them throughout the West Callon or address GRANT, PITTMAN & LREDS, S West Third-street, mps-54

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WANTED-TO PURCHASE - \$7,500. House and Lot, worth from \$6,000 to \$7,500, in or near this city, and will give in payment a first-morting time. It is a first morting on a property worth at logat \$23,000. For full particulars call on HICKMAN & SHULL.

Real Estate Brokers and Auctioneers, my 9-c Merchants Exchange, Walnut-street.

WANTED-TO RENT-A small House, or lower part of a house, for a family of three Best references given, Address AMERICAN BANE NOTE COMPANY, Fourth and Main. mys-b*

WANTED—A FURCHASER—For a full-course Scholarship in one of the best Commercial Colleges in the city, at a very low discount. Indicate this office.

WANTED—SITUATION—As Engineer, by a German, who speaks English, and who can give satisfactory references. Apply at 164 Freeman-street.

WANTED—Men susking situations as clerks, salesmen, book-keepers, bar-keepers, porters, coopers, mechanics, laborers, and others, should apply at the Merchanis' Clerks' Registry Office, No. 128 Wainut-street. [my9-b*] HALE & CO.

WANTED-By a young man, aged twenty-feur, to good penman and correspondent, and recently foreman in a cotton bosiery factory in the East, a situation in a wholesale dry goods house in tole city, to gain a conversancy with the business, at a small salary. Unexceptionable New York, Philadelphia, deermultown and city reference given. Address HOSLER, Box S43, P. O. myb-b*

WANTED-An airy unfurnished room with beard, agreeably located, for a gentleman and wife. Terms must be moderate. Address COM-

WANTED—To rent, lease or sell on time, from 20 to 80 feet thouton Western-row, or Central accume, by 100 feet deep, Apply to A. C. PAHRY timer, Race-street, near Front, Vacant ground with fence and office attached if wanted. mys-h*

WANTED—ROOM—A small, unfurnished room in a genteel private house, (without board,) in the vicinity of Sixth-street and Western-row, Longworth-street preferred, by a young mass who can give the very best of testimonishs as to character, &c. Address ROOM, Daily Press Office, stating terms and location.

WANTED—To do your House Painting, Glassing, Graining, Varnishing and Sign Fainting, at reasonable prices for cash. W. L. DAVIS, 72 West Third-street, north side, between Walnut and Vine.

WANTED-A NUMBER OF CAR-BUILDERS to go to Mississippi. Location healthy, em-ployment steady, and wages good. None but first class workmon need apply. LANE & BODLEY. mys-fe Corner John and Water-streets.

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WANTED ATTENTION—Incise one red stamp, and you will receive, by mail, a circu-lar, with particulars of a fancy French article use-ful to every married person and those about marry. Address Box 9,48th Ciuclunati.

and wife. Terms not FORT, at this office.

BOARDING—An unfurnished front room, with board, for a man and his wife. Also four or five day-bearders can be accommodated. Inquire at No. 202 Longworth-street, below John. mys-b*

AUCTION SALES.

A UCTION SALE-BY COOPER & NTOKES.

Auction-rooms No. 14. East Fourth-street.
Sixty-one Lote, being B. P. Himman's subdivision of James Biddle's portion of the Riddle ensiste on ten years' credit, on WEDNEDAY MORNING, May 16, 1990, at nine clock, on the premises. The following is a description of the lots to be sold:
11 Lote on Browne-street, opposite the Brighton House, from 25 to 50 feet front, and from @ to 171 feet deep.

ny reserve. Mr. Thomas Palmer, on Riddle-street, between B. f. Fields and Rotherts' Garden, will show the lots my afternoon, previous to the sale, from two to six

A UCTION SALE—BY JACOB GRAFF & CO.

Resultful Oil Paintings, Imported from Europe.—Will be sold at public suction, on THURSDAY AFFERNOON, May 10, at 3 o'clock, and in the evening at 7% o'clock, at No. 10 East Fourthstreet, a large collection of beautiful Oil Paintings, in rich gilt frames, imported from Europe by Mc. Marcher. The collection comprises is audicaspes, Martine Ylews, Figure Ficces, &c., all executed with great Care by celebrarded Franch and Italian Artisti. In this collection will be found many pieces worthy the attention of commissions and personnel works. The minitings are now on exhibition, and will be until the day of sale. Catalogues now ready.

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Covington, Ky.—Will be sold at anction on TUESDAY AFTERNOON, May 15, 1800, at 33, o'clock, on
the premises, in West Covington, Ky., just back of
Whitshall, Lots Nos. 16, 35, 38, 37, 38, 39, 40, 53, 44,
55, 47, 48, 49 and 50, being each 50 feet front by 100
deep. Whitshall is at the Fifth-street Ferry Landing in Kentacky.

Terms of Sale—One-third cash, balance in one and
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